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Albany Masons Install Leader, Other Officers



FRANK S. SPIRES

Frank Spires, 64, 823 Ramona, will be installed as Worshipful Master of Albany Lodge No. 1234, F.&A.M., in installation ceremonies to be held 8 p. m. Tuesday, December 13, at the Maccabee Hall, Kains Ave.

Installing officer will be John Spires, past master of the Valley Lodge and a brother of Frank Spires.

Other officers to be installed include Cecil E. Bockennoogen, senior warden; Anthony D. Bertino, junior warden; Walter C. Kees, treasurer; Garner S. Thomas, secretary; Charles F. Whitmore, chaplain; R. Zamaroni, senior deacon; Joseph A. Swain, junior deacon; Crawford Norman, marshal; Bert R. Pruden, senior steward; Harold W. Swanson, junior steward; Kenneth A. Miller, organist; Fred J. MacWilliams, tyler; John G. Phil, past master of the Valley Lodge, will be master of the ceremony, and Fred J. Higuera, secretary.

Benefit Carnival Set Saturday at Village Center

Some of the top Bay area performers in boxing, judo and balancing will be featured Saturday evening at the Codornices Community Center when the Village stages its benefit sport show and carnival, proceeds which will go for the Community Chest.

Featured in the show will be five preliminary boxing matches lined up from local schools, while the main event will be an exhibition match between two well-known West Coast boxers.

Judo acts from the West Berkeley YMCA have been booked, including Jim Jommez, outstanding blind performer.

Jack La Lane, who recently received local fame when he swam the San Francisco Bay, will be starred in balancing acts, along with Jim Drinkward.

A special attraction for the evening will be the numerous appearances of "Oskie," famed mascot of the California Bears.

The many concessions along the mid-way will open at 6 p. m. Included are fortune telling, dart games, bingo, ring tossing, B.B. targets, etc.

Major Pat De Minico is general chairman of the benefit show, assisted by numerous volunteer workers. Prizes for the concessions were donated by various San Pablo Ave. merchants.

The Mary Parker Williams Club is sponsoring its annual Christmas Pot-Luck Dinner 7 p. m. Saturday at the home of Tiny Havens, 624 Albermarle, El Cerrito. Members are requested to bring their own dishes, silver and a 25 cent gift. Husbands are invited, according to Mrs. Olive Zameroni, president.

past master of Standard Lodge No. 440 will be host. The soloist of the evening will be Walter E. Moore, of McKinley Lodge in Richmond.

All Masons and friends are invited to attend.



Albany Bowl has organized the first Junior American Bowling Congress in Northern California, with some 70 Albany and El Cerrito youngsters competing in league play each Saturday morning. Sponsored by Albany Police Department, the program

is designed to help combat juvenile delinquency—at the same time teaching good sportsmanship along with wholesome recreation. The junior bowlers are under direction of Art Knighton, president of East Bay Bowlers' Association.

Building Permits

Forty permits for the construction and alterations of buildings estimated to cost \$30,280 were issued by the Building Inspector during the month of November, according to a report by E. A. Tarr, city engineer.

Two permits for the construction of new homes estimated to cost \$17,103 were included in the report.

Other permits granted include: 13 residential alterations, \$270; 13 re-roofs, \$2,624; three signs, \$1,253; and commercial alterations, one permit at an estimated cost of \$800.

Olson Heads Area R'Cross Fund Drive

Harold W. Olson of Albany will head the 1950 Red Cross fund campaign for the Albany-Berkeley-Kensington area, it was announced today by C. A. Bullwinkel, president of the Berkeley chapter.

A resident of Albany for the past eight years, Olson served as vice-chairman of the 1949 campaign, and also headed the Albany commercial division for that drive and for the two previous years.

Olson, who lives at 727 San Pablo Ave., is a member of the Rotary Club, Chamber of Commerce, St. Alban's Church, Berkeley Lodge

Annual Yule Play Slated at Marin

Over 425 Marin School boys and girls will take part in the Christmas Pageant "A Doll's Christmas Eve" which will be presented to the public 1:30 p. m. Wednesday, December 14 and 8 p. m. Thursday, December 15 at the Marin School Auditorium.

Children from the different rooms will be costumed as dolls from the many lands. Included are: Colonial dolls, Mrs. Bertel's room; Mexican dolls, Mrs. Chapnot's room; Sailors, Mrs. Hamel; Teddy Bears, Mrs. Galbraith; Raggedy Ann's, Mrs. Cameron.

Soldiers, Mrs. Dickson; Fairies, Miss Turner; Reindeers, kindergarten; Dutch dolls, Mrs. Ross; Mother Goose, Miss Cullinan; Square Dance, Miss Lemmon; Rabbits, Mrs. Firth; Dolls from Norway, Mrs. Klein; Indians, Mrs. Lawton; Square Dance, Mr. Teague; Chinese Dolls, Mr. Griffin; Jack-in-the-box, Mrs. Mel; Gypsies, Mrs. Lott; and Tumbler Clowns, Gene Baker.

Legion Committee Decorates Vets' Hospital Dec. 18

A large delegation from Albany Post No. 292, American Legion and its Ladies Auxiliary made plans today for the annual journey to the Livermore Veterans' Hospital December 18 to decorate the wards for the holiday season, according to Walter L. Holland, committee chairman.

Holland said 17 Post members have signed up already and the number will be increased when the Auxiliary submits names of members who will make the trip.

Albany friends and relatives of patients at Livermore may send along by the committee any personal gifts or messages to be delivered in person.

Max Etingoff, Mickey Etingoff Jr., Harry Barrows or Walker Lyon will accept any gift or message at the S. P. Corner Store, San Pablo and Solano Aves., local headquarters for this service.

Council Asks State Aid for Albany Civic Center Plans

The possibility of Albany getting a new City Hall and Civic Center was closer to becoming a reality Monday night when the City Council requested a sum of \$2781 in State funds for use in drafting preliminary plans for the project.

'Meanest Thief' Takes Christmas Party Toys

Albany Police this week were leaving no clues untarned in an extensive search for a burglar they described as "the meanest thief in Albany history."

The thief broke into the Eagle Tire Service, 638 San Pablo Ave., Sunday night and stole five boxes of toys and 200 unfolded candy cartons Albany Eagles had stored there until their annual Christmas party for local children on December 18.

Sam Locke, co-owner of the store and a member of the Eagles, said the toys could be replaced but the cartons were unobtainable on the West Coast. The cartons were to be filled with candy for distribution among some 200 children at the Eagle party.

Locke said the building was entered through a window in the rear of the building.

Although it is not yet known where the proposed project will cost, City Engineer E. A. Tarr said after the meeting that the planning was still in the earliest stages but that the preliminary plans would develop ideas.

Councilmen pointed out in their unanimous approval of the measure that the money was made available by the State for use by cities and counties in constructing post-war projects.

Under the "good of the city" session, Mrs. Kathie Zahn, of 911 Santa Fe Ave., called for the answer on the question of whether certain city employees were covered by Civil Service. She made the request at last week's meeting, but Mayor Bert Hill said the opinion would be forthcoming this week.

However, City Attorney George Glavinovich said Monday night that he would need at least two weeks for the opinion. He pointed out that the extra time was needed for research.

Albany OES Holds Installing Rites

Annual installation of officers of Albany Chapter No. 561, Order of the Eastern Star, were conducted Friday evening at the Maccabee Hall.

Marie Graham was installed as worthy matron, and Ray Graham, as worthy patron, during the ceremonies.

Other new officers installed for the coming year include Aletta Glines, associate matron; Charles Cummings, associate patron; May Olson, treasurer; Irene May, secretary; Betty Williams, conductress; Ruby Wilcox, associate conductress; Blanche Merriman, chaplain; Margaret Cannon, marshal; Pearl Cole, organist; Clara Goldman, warden, and Robert Ballance, sentinel.

Star points are Marjorie Crawford, Ada; Belva Ballance, Ruth; Lucille Merriman, Esther; Sadie Lloyd, Martha, and Gwendolyn Symons, Electa.

Grade School Ball Program Opens Sat.

A basketball program for elementary school children of Albany will open Saturday at the Albany High School Gymnasium, it was announced today by Bert Griffin, director of recreation.

Sessions for elementary children will be held each Saturday between 9 a. m. and 12 m., followed at 1 to 3 p. m. with a class for eighth and ninth graders. Sign-ups and organization will start 9 a. m. Saturday, December 10.

Additional basketball sessions are scheduled during the Christmas holidays, including December 17, 20, 21, 22, 23, 27, 28, 29 and 30. After school reconvenes January 3, the sessions will be held weekly until April 1.

St. John Smith and Craigie Ortleib of the Albany High School staff will have charge of the coaching and supervision of the program, directing both the practice sessions and the intramural games.

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HAROLD OLSON

No. 363 F.&A.M., Oakland Scottish Rite, Aahmes Temple and Zorah Grotto. He is a past president of Bayview Aerie 2323, F.O.E., and past patron of the Albany O. E. S.

Serving with Olson as vice-chairman of the March, 1950 Red Cross fund campaign will be Peter Jurs of Berkeley. Others on the committee include: Mrs. G. Dwight Wood, general residential chairman; Mrs. T. D. Keston, residential vice-chairman; Mrs. Delsa Walton, Albany residential; Mrs. Harold Sproul, Kensington.

New chairman for the year-round fund planning committee is A. J. Muirhead, with Mrs. M. E. Gilchrist as vice-chairman.

Albany Plumbing Co. Opens in New Home

Tony Montano's Albany Plumbing and Heating Co. will have its formal opening Saturday in a new location at 614 San Pablo Ave.

Montano, who makes his home at 14 San Carlos Ave., El Cerrito, with his wife and young daughter, has been in the plumbing business here since 1927. He was associated with C. M. MacGregor for a number of years, and for the past eight years has operated his own business at 1247 Solano Ave.

He is an active member of Albany Rotary Club, Eagles and Chamber of Commerce.

High School Yule Program Planned

The largest Christmas program in the history of Albany High School will be presented admission free to the public 8 p. m. Thursday, December 15 at the school auditorium, it was announced today by Charles A. Moore, principal.

The production will be presented in two main parts, the first featuring "Santa's Workshop" and "The Night Before Christmas," and the second will be the Bible story of Nativity.

The combined band and orchestra will be directed by William Bouton, dance numbers supervised by Mary Lou Peterson, and the chorus and choir will be under direction of James Kintee and Stephen Lehmer.

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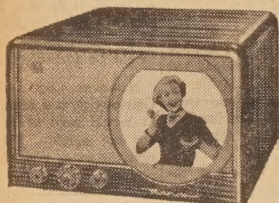
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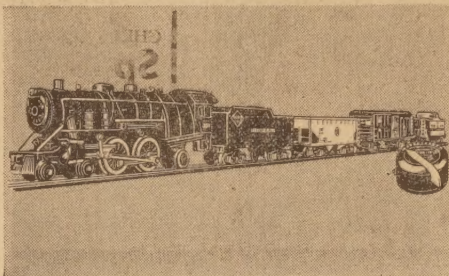


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Marin PTA Group to Hear Music Program
Mrs. S. R. Dows, a former member of the Marin P.T.A., who with her husband Lt. Col. S. R. Dows recently returned from Japan, will be featured in a program of Japanese music at the December 13 meeting of the Marin P.T.A.
Using the program theme "Eastern Music Slanted to the West," Mrs. Dows will be in costume playing on native instruments.
While in Japan, the Dows resided at Grant Heights, American Housing Project near Tokyo, where Mrs. Dows studied native music and instruments with a graduate student of the Tokyo Conservatory of Music.
Opening the program at 1:30 p. m. will be the Kindergarten Rhythm Band under direction of Miss Ena Seeger and Miss Shaughnessy.

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To the Citizens of Albany:
Is This "Another" Hot Potato?

There is an old saying: "One thing leads to another." On November 28, 1949 I went to the city hall to inquire as to whether or not Jack O'Leary, presently employed at the Department in Albany, was covered by civil service. His dominating attitude toward the public, in his capacity as secretary of said session, left no doubt in anyone's mind that he was very secure in his position as employee of the City of Albany.

My wife was more surprised than I, when Mrs. McLean, our city clerk, informed me: "She does not know whether or not Mr. O'Leary was covered by civil service due to the fact that there were two ordinances, passed in 1940 by two DIFFERENT city councils of the City of Albany. One ordinance MAKING him a civil service employee and the next one—REVOKING it."

For your information I give you the highlights of these ordinances:

On March 25, 1940 the Albany City Council passed Ordinance No. 442, thereby establishing a Service System for the Street, Park and Recreation Departments of the City of Albany. Said ordinance was to include all employees who were hired at said date in said departments of the City of Albany. HOWEVER, THERE WERE RESTRICTIONS: Only people who had worked continuously in such departments on a MONTHLY basis for 12 MONTHS PRECEDING the date of said ordinance were eligible and covered by said ordinance. Furthermore, to make it more difficult, Ordinance No. 442 carried an "urgency" clause. It was to become law AT ONCE upon its passage in the Albany Times, which was on March 26, 1940.

NOW ORDINARILY THIS TYPE OF ORDINANCE DOES NOT CARRY AN "URGENT" CLAUSE; but in this case it was done for a political device to select few by an out-of-control city council.

NOW

Several weeks later, in April 1940 a DIFFERENT city council was elected, and its FIRST OFFICIAL ACT was the passing of Ordinance No. 443. This ordinance reads as follows: "The Council of the City of Albany does ordain as follows: Ordinance No. 442 of the City of Albany, relating to Civil Service for Street, Park and Recreation Departments, is hereby REPEALED."

Ordinance No. 443 was passed and approved May 6, 1940.

Charles Graeber, Mayor of the City of Albany.

Grace Lutheran
Universal Bible Sunday will be observed at Grace Lutheran Church, Santa Fe Ave. at Ward, at the 11 a. m. service Sunday. The Rev. Orwin R. Janke, pastor, will speak on "This Is the Book!" The sacrament of Holy Communion will be administered in the service, preceded by the reception of new members.

"The Annunciation to Mary" will be the lesson topic of the church school at 9:45 a. m.

"What Others Have Said" will be the sermon subject of the Rev. A. O. Odegard, pastor of First Baptist Church of Albany, at the 11 a. m. service in which Universal Bible Sunday will be observed. Special music will be offered by the choir.

In keeping with the Christmas season, the Rev. Odegard will speak on "Thinking of Others" at the 7:30 p. m. service.

HOLY NAME SOCIETY SPONSORS WHIST PARTY
The Holy Name Society of St. Joseph's Church in Berkeley is sponsoring a turkey whist party 8 p. m. Friday at the Parish Hall, Jefferson and Addison Sts. Proceeds from the event will go for the Boy and Sea Scouts of the parish, according to Lee Bearney, chairman.

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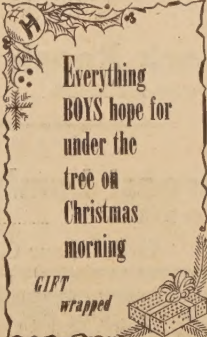
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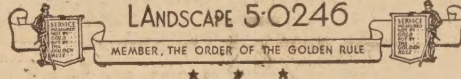


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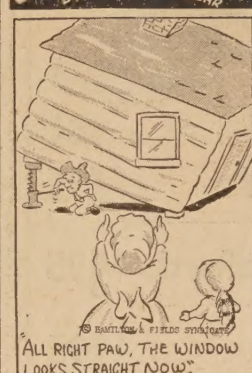
The orchestra under direction of Mrs. Jeannette Bruce will open the program with two instrumental numbers, "Good King Wenceslas" and "Gascony Carol," followed by three numbers sung by the glee club.

Students featured in "The Christmas Story" include the following: Jo Ann Alpegni, the mother; Johnny Jurivich, the father; Diane Nunes, Carol; Michael Hewett, Nicholas; Karen Maddala, Noel; Molly McDonald, an angel; Phyllis Temple, Mary; Don Greene, Joseph, and the Three Wise Men are Jim Watts, Albert Weikert and Bob Reynolds.

Shepherds are Gary Vervair, Walter Odenkamp, Wilfred Werner and Carl Hanson. Also featured in the play are 15 little angels, and 27 voices of the Primary Carolers. Miss Lois Seonberg, glee Club director, is general chairman of the production, assisted by Mrs. Bernice Evernden, Mrs. Edna Kilburn and Miss Bernice Anderson.

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think so many things could happen on the first Wednesday! We had a visitor—Zady Johnson, a nurse in general practice and member of the Soroptimist Club of Marysville. We sang "Happy Grandmother" to Myrtle McLean. She looks so young, too! Pres. Nell paid a fine for "forgetting," and she'll pay another next week. We forgot to sing "Happy Birthday" to Louise Storck, who had her fine ready. The outstanding event of the day was when Charter President Grace Higgins welcomed Charter member Freeda Bolton back into active membership. Freeda was obliged to demit for the time she was employed out of Albany, but is back (Continued on page seven)

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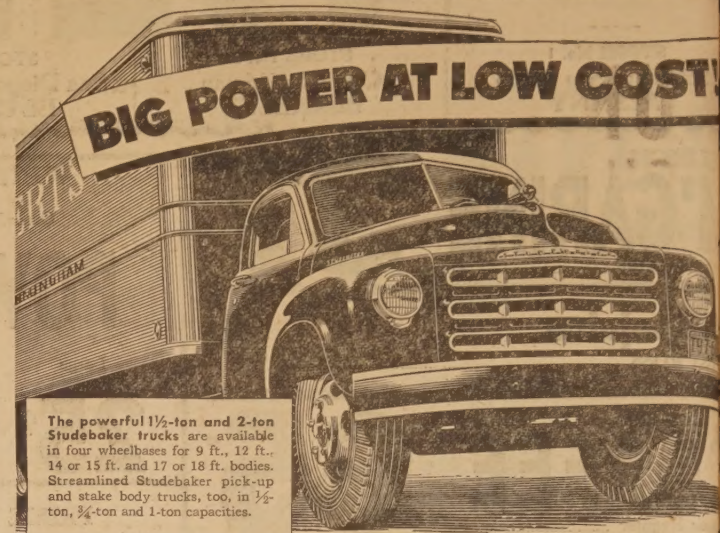
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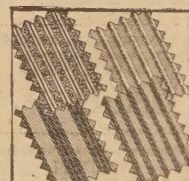
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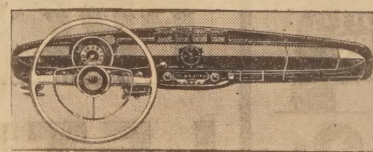


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May Olson, chairman of the Christmas party committee, announced that she had received a communication from Santa Claus via Reindeer Express. He said he would be present at the party next week. At that time, each member will bring an unwrapped gift for some child who needs it, and a small remembrance for one other member.

May also introduced Martha Hood, who spoke briefly on personality development through public speaking.

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